- II. <u>Testing your meter's accuracy</u>: A quick way to check the accuracy of your meter is to calibrate it with a known volume of water.
  - 1. Run the water somewhere in your house to bring the needle (2) to zero on the dial. Fill a container of known volume and compare readings.

1 gal = .13 cubic feet

2 gal = .26 cubic feet

3 gal = .4 cubic feet

5 gal = .67 cubic feet

7.5 gal = 1 complete revolution

## III. Calculating your daily water consumption:

	Meter Reading	Previous Day Reading	Difference	x 7.5	Gallons Used Daily
Day 1		><	$\times$	>	
Day 2				x 7.5	
Day 3				x 7.5	
Day 4				x 7.5	
Day 5				x 7.5	
Day 6				x 7.5	

IV. <u>Average Consumption Figures:</u> A good guide to use for water consumption is 60 gallons/day per person. You're billed on quarterly water "usage" – each unit of "usage" is 750 gallons.